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The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd
Clerk
South Carolina Public Service Commission
Post Office Drawer 11649
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

RE: Application of Budget Prepay, Inc. d/b/a Budget Phone for Designation as
a Non-Rural Wireless Eligible Telecommunications
Request for Approval of Additional Doing Business As Name
Docket No. 2011-294-C, ELS File No. 1959-11775

Dear Ms. Boyd:

On September 27, 2012, the South Carolina Public Service Commission (the "Commission") issued its order designating Budget Prepay, Inc. d/b/a Budget Phone ("Budget") as an eligible telecommunications carrier for the provision of lifeline service in South Carolina.

I am writing on behalf of Budget to request that the Commission approve an additional doing business as name of "Budget Mobile" so that Budget may begin operating in South Carolina under the name "Budget Mobile."

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

s/ John J. Pringle, Jr.
John J. Pringle, Jr.

JJP/cr

cc: Nanette S. Edwards, Esquire (via electronic mail service)
Lessie Hammonds, Esquire (via electronic mail service)
Katherine King, Esq. (via electronic mail service)
Mr. Daniel Hyde (via electronic mail service)

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKETING DEPARTMENT

NOTICE OF FILING

DOCKET NO. 2011-294-C

Budget Prepay, Inc. ("Budget") filed a Request with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission"), for approval to operate under an additional "doing business name" of "Budget Mobile."

A copy of the Request is on file in the offices of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina, 101 Executive Center Drive, Saluda Building, Columbia, SC 29210; the Commission's website at www.psc.sc.gov, and is available through John J. Pringle, Jr., Ellis, Lawhorne & Sims, P.A. P. O. Box 2285, Columbia, SC 29202.

A public hearing, if scheduled, will be held in Columbia, South Carolina in the offices of the Commission at the above address, for the purpose of receiving testimony and other evidence from all interested parties regarding this Application. The time and date of any such hearing will be furnished to all interested parties at a later date.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record with the right of cross-examination should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before _____, 2012 and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Intervene. ***Please refer to Docket No. 2011-294-C.***

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing should notify the Docketing Department in writing at the address below, the Office of Regulatory Staff at Post Office Box 11263, Columbia, SC 29211, and John J. Pringle, Esq. at the above address, on or before _____, 2012, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. ***Please refer to Docket No. 2011-294-C.***

Any person who wishes to be notified of any change in the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department in writing at the address below on or before _____, 2012. ***Please refer to Docket No. 2011-294-C.***

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding **MUST** present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100.

Public Service Commission of South Carolina
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BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
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In the Matter of the Application of)
Budget Prepay, Inc. d/b/a Budget Phone)
for Designation as a Non-Rural Wireless)
Eligible Telecommunications Carrier)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that I have caused to be served this day, one (1) copy of the **October 1, 2012 Letter to the Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd** by placing a copy of same in the care and custody of the United States Postal Service (unless otherwise specified), with proper first-class postage affixed hereto and addressed as follows:

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL SERVICE

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C. Lessie Hammonds, Esq.
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s/ Carol Roof _____
Carol Roof, Paralegal

October 1, 2012
Columbia, South Carolina